

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Appl. No.: 10/520,065 (*U.S. Nat'l Phase of PCT/EP03/07173*)

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For: **Diagnostic and Therapeutic Use of TB2 Gene and Protein for Neurodegenerative Diseases**

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**Second Preliminary Amendment and Submission of Sequence Listing**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. § 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) of Application, dated July 13, 2005, in the above identified matter, and in advance of prosecution, please amend the application as follows:

***In the Specification:***

Please insert the sequence listing at the end of the application.

Please substitute the paragraph appearing at page 31, line 19, with the following paragraph:

First, a standard curve was generated to determine the efficiency of the PCR with specific primers for human TB2 (5'-CGAGTCCCAGATGGACAGTGT-3' (SEQ ID NO. 3) and 5'-GTGATGGCATCTGCAGTCTCTT-3' (SEQ ID NO. 4)). PCR amplification (95 °C and 1 sec, 56 °C and 5 sec, and 72 °C and 5 sec) was performed in a volume of 20